

The

# BCC Hornet

Inside

Editorials, page 2  
A & E, page 3-5  
On Campus, page 6  
Sports, page 8

Vol. 2 Num. 1

Broome Community College's  
Student Newspaper

September 2, 1998

## The Front Street Dilemma



By Matthew Olevano

Last year, in April, the state started preliminary work on Front Street to prepare for the construction that began about a week after classes were finished. Their main effort was to re-surface and widen the road, and add new storm sewers, as well as water, and gas lines to it. They also planned to add a new intersection to the new road to the jail, which would also be the new entrance to the college. The construction was supposed to be finished by the end of November, leaving us, the students, left to navigate the two-lane road in hopes of getting to class on time. Now with the start of school here and the construction no where near being done, we have to wonder how this all will affect us this semester.

When the construction was started, it was badly needed. There were no sidewalks, no storm sewers, and the water line was in need of repair. There were complaints that the road was not wide enough for pedestrians on bicycles, and anyone who

was walking had to walk on the lawns or in the dirt or risk being hit by a car. On top of that, the construction was also needed because of the new complex being built across the street. They will be building a movie theater, a restaurant, and a Hotel.

Just for the new complex, they are adding a new intersection to Front Street. The new road to the jail will also contain two dedicated lanes turning into the college loop. That will be the new entrance to the college. The current entrance, the south one, will be closed.

The road also had quite a few potholes, so many, in fact, that if it were not fixed, this winter would have made things considerably worse. Many residents of Front Street were complaining because of the problems with the water line. "We couldn't even wash our clothes, because of the rust in the water. The rust would stain our clothes," said Filippo Russo, a resident of Front Street.

This was the justification for the construction, and, since they were planning to tear up the road anyway, they took advantage of the situation to put in a new gas line. Indeed, the construction was greatly needed, and still is, but it is going to mean considerable delays and many inconveniences for the students.

The state, realizing that the construction would run late and cause many delays for new and returning students, decided to install a second traffic light at the north entrance. Unfortunately, as of the second day of school, the light was inoperable and hung with a plastic bag over it. They have had a construction worker flagging traffic at that entrance to make up for the light, so traffic hasn't been too bad but there is no guarantee that

the construction worker will be the indefinitely. Fortunately, by the third day, the light was working properly.

Another problem they are running into is the traffic. Front Street is still a 40-mile per hour speed zone, but driving that fast in the construction is dangerous. Still, some people do it, and combined with the fact that Front Street is only a two-way road due to the construction, it is considerably harder for residents of Front Street to pull into and out of their driveway. Now, with college resuming, there will be a great increase in the number of cars on Front Street, making things even harder for the residents.

Through all the construction, there have not been too many complaints from the residents. Sur-

prisingly, noise was not the biggest complaint. Some have said that the traffic from Interstate 81 is louder than the construction being done. One thing that was complained about was all the dust and dirt. With all the digging being done, a large amount of dust is thrown into the air, settling on top of cars, driveways, and houses. Still, the cleanup is relatively easy, just hose everything off and it's done.

When the construction is finally finished, it will mean easier navigation down Front Street, and easier access to the college. It should make life for the students somewhat easier. All we have to do is make it through the construction, and put up with minimal inconveniences, that is, until the next major construction project.



Construction, not yet complete, keeps Front Street torn up, and traffic slow.

## WELCOME TO THE HORNET!



By Matthew F. Short

It just doesn't seem like the summer whipped by that fast, but it did, and now it's time for the Hornet to get started again. A couple of brief notes regarding it:

- Our entire staff has changed. We're all rookies here right now, so we would be grateful if you can forgive us for our mistakes.

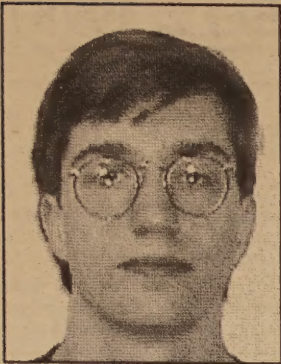
- We're going to increase our production schedule to include six issues instead of four.

- We're going to make the Hornet more BCC-community oriented. We are planning some contests, and have added a "Mail Bag" section, a Classified section, and have separated some sections into On Campus and Off Campus.

We'd also like to thank the wonderful staff of the Student Activities office, in particular Dave Maslar, Director of Student Activities, and his Secretary, Brenda, as well as the staff in the communications department, John Butchko, and his secretary Theresa, who have made this endeavor easy on us all.



# Cheats & Balances



By Scott C. Fynboe

"Gonads are useful for their purpose, but they are no substitute for brains."  
- Paul Harvey

As a rule, I don't like to argue politics. Recent events, however, have forced me to break this rule. That's because this scandal is the first one I've been able to fully understand. I mean, I missed out on Watergate, and I'm too young to remember much about the Iran-Contra affair (the Ollie North thing). So, I feel a little privileged. Now, I know a lot of you might complain: "Oh great, another article about Clinton." Well, I don't care - I'm gonna chip in my two cents about this thing.

First off, I have to agree

with a colleague of mine: Clinton is "the man". Think of it, how many people can honestly say, "I had sex in the Oval office"? Not that many. Not only that, but he made almost the entire country feel sorry for him. To quote Homer Simpson: "Ah sweet pity, where would my love life be without it?" On top of all this, Hillary has "forgiven" him. I admire, and to a lesser extent, envy this man. He's proved that the old adage is still true: "It's good to be the king."

When Clinton finally admitted to committing the most unoriginal sin with Monica, people were asking the question "Why did he lie for so long?" I sat down and thought about it, and I think I can tell you the answer. Clinton lied, and for so long, because he's a man. Men have a tendency to lie (esp. about affairs) because they're afraid of getting into trouble. Only when they realize they are in trouble, though, they start telling the truth.

One thing I was surprised at when Clinton issued his statement, was how little his popularity dipped because of it. I chalk that up to America being a fickle nation. We've stopped caring about the whole thing it seems. The story just doesn't interest us like it once did. That could be due to the media saturating our papers and interrupting our soap operas with more boring "official statements" and pictures of Ken "I bet

people would like me if my brother was Ringo" Starr's smug face. Whatever the reason though, it appears that people just don't give a hoot about the story nowadays.

Bored yet? I am too, so let's try and make this a little more fun. For example, I recently began wondering what we're going to call this scandal. I've heard all kinds of names such as "Sexgate", "Spermgate", and "Tailgate". I've come up with a few of my own, see what you think: "The Dress Mess", "The Ovary office", and



Linda "Scary Spice" Tripp

"Phallic fallacy". All right, I agree, I'm no good at naming things.

As I watch this whole story unravel a little more each day, I've found myself starting to wonder how

we can make a quick buck off it. That's what America's all about, right? Commodify and consume? The almighty dollar? Call it what you will, I've come up with some products to mass market:

1. A chess game whose pieces are people involved in the scandal. For example, the white king and queen are the Clintons, Bill and Hillary, the bishops are Chelsea and Buddy (possible connection?), and the rook is the Washington monument (for it's phallic appearance). Conversely, the dark side has Monica, Starr, the Capitol building, etc.
2. A line of designer clothing modeled after the infamous dress.

3. This Halloween, forget your classic array of ghosts, devils, and vampires. The hot costume this October is going to be latex masks of Linda "I live under a bridge and eat children" Tripp. As long as I'm talking about her, it may interest you to know I'm trying to make \$50 off her as I've sent her picture into Fangoria magazine.

Well, I think I've said my piece and I'm going to wrap this up in a couple seconds. For those who have joined us late, I'll now recap the article: I admire Clinton, I'm terrible at labeling things, and I think Linda Tripp looks like a troll. Until next time straight shooters, I'm Scott Fynboe and this was my commentary.

**This Space for Rent**  
**Contact Angela Jensen at**  
**(607) 778-5110**

*Wondering about that classified section? Come to Science 105 (for now) and talk to us. We'd love to help you advertise your goods, and for a minimal fee, you can!*

THE BCC HORNET IS LOOKING FOR SOME JOURNALISTS INTERESTED IN REPORTING NEWS AND SPORTS EVENTS. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, OR KNOW SOMEONE WHO IS, JUMP UP AND DOWN EXCITEDLY. THEN, COME VISIT US IN SCIENCE 105, AND WE'LL HOOK YOU UP WITH AN ASSIGNMENT.

REMEMBER, AN ASSIGNMENT IS NOT SOMETHING YOU GIVE YOURSELF. PLEASE DON'T JUST SHOW UP WITH AN ARTICLE, CHANCES ARE IT MAY ALREADY HAVE BEEN TAKEN CARE OF. WE KNOW WHERE WE'RE AT, AND WHAT WE NEED BETTER THAN YOU (SOMETIMES), SO DON'T BE AFRAID TO ASK US WHAT YOU SHOULD WRITE.

**DISC GO ROUND**

1004 North Street, Endicott, NY 13760

(607) 785-5157

Fax (607) 785-4573

<http://www.bcweb.net/Discgound>



*We Keep The  
Music Moving*





This is your BCC Hornet Staff:

Matthew F. Short, *Editor-in-Chief*  
 Scott C. Fynboe, *Managing Editor*  
 Angela Jensen, *Advertising Editor*  
 Matthew Olevano, *News Editor*  
 J. L. Fitch, *Opinion Editor*  
 Luke Fuller, *Arts and Entertainment Editor*  
 John Crounse, *Sports Editor*  
 John Butchko, *Hornet Advisor*  
 Dave Maslar, *Hornet Advisor*

Staff Writers  
 Colin Martino  
 Jeff Hogg

You can E-Mail us at : studentnews@mail.sunybroome.edu  
 or call us at : 778-5110 (for now), if you have any questions,  
 comments, or concerns.

One again, we'd like to thank you in advance for any input, and  
 hope that this paper is as much you, as it is us.

## TAKE-OUT/DELIVERY MENU



### SLICE SPECIALS

SERVED WITH A 22 OUNCE FOUNTAIN SODA  
**2-SLICE 1.79      ROUND 2-SLICE 2.49**  
Toppings extra  
**SPECIALTY 2-slice 2.49**  
Ask for details

## Movie Reviews



By Matthew F. Short

I'm no professional critic, but I have seen a handful of movies this summer, so here's my summer movie guide. Sit back, relax, and grab a handful of popcorn while you hear me rant about the high-budget, low-income summer of movie madness.

#### Godzilla

No comment. F--

#### Avengers

Why, Sean Connery, why? F+, wait, no... F

#### Lost in Space

Why, Joey, why? F is for FAILURE.

#### Armageddon

Without Liv Tyler and Paris getting annihilated this film wouldn't have floated as long as it did. Compared, however, to some of the other filth put out this summer, it was terrible, emotional, at best, if you're fifteen. C-

#### Lethal Weapon 4

Whooh... "Private Investigator..." "Yes, will you investigate my privates?" Chris Rock did well, and it held up to it's standard : action packed, stupid jokes, and Joe Pesci. C

#### Mulan

Disney, please, stick to your standard formula : 6-10 quirky songs, peppered by non-singing moments. A sidekick that's \*NOT\* Eddie Murphy is a good idea too. Fantastic animation, though. C+

#### Man in the Iron Mask

Okay, I liked it. I'm sorry, but there's only one thing more exciting to me than Gerrard Depardeau's <sic, but it looks French> naked body, and that's a Three Musketeer movie. It wasn't fantastic, but it was loaded with some action. C+

#### Dirty Work

Norm MacDonald's attempt at a summer hit, missed completely. O.K., I really liked it, but that's just because I like dry humor. It was in the theaters

all of two whole weeks, but it's a definite rental. B

#### Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas

Okay, I'll admit it. I'm not your average drug user, inasmuch as I don't use drugs, at all, but the one thing that surprised me was that this movie really, really, really made me glad that I don't. If you want to vomit, or see a really intense movie, go for it. Not for those grossed out by "Saving..." B

#### Dr. Dolittle

Chris Rock has never impressed me, until this summer. Eddie Murphy, as well, made his mark with this film. Enjoyable, plus the drunken monkey made the film. B

#### Basketball

Note : This film was not written, directed, or otherwise affiliated by the creators of South Park, it only starred them, and therefore it was funny. Many good one-liners, and the sight gags were quite funny. B+

#### The Mask of Zorro

"Tragically Hip" is the phrase that comes to mind. It was action packed, and filled with skillful sword fighting, plus it had Anthony Hopkins. B+

#### Deep Impact

Two Words : Morgan Freeman. He really made this film what it was. Yeah, a meteor that could destroy

earth was coming, whoop-de-doo. Morgan was president! That was the issue at hand. A-

#### The X-Files

A wonderful end to the most recent season. Answered just enough questions so that you'd want to keep watching. In addition, the almost-kiss between Mulder and Scully was well set up. A-

#### Out of Sight

Another fantastic movie from the makers of "Get Shorty." Comical and serious all at the same time, it left me feeling content when I left the theater. A

#### Truman Show

Jim Carrey, I could kiss you! One of this summer's biggest surprises, it truly showed that stretchface can act, and without making silly noises! A+

#### Saving Private Ryan

Probably the best movie of the year [it ain't over]. Realism was not sacrificed to spare the tender little stomachs of the masses. War was very well presented. A+

Okay, that's about all the movies I can, or am willing to, remember from this summer. It's been a decent run for my money, and I hope that those who lost out learn from those who got the glory.



## Need Something to Do? Go to the Adirondacks!

Ever feel like getting away just for a little while? If taking a break from work, traffic and parents sounds like something that you really need, why not take a trip to the Adirondacks? Birds singing, the sound of a babbling brook, and beautiful mountains surround you with every step. A veritable paradise.

With a generally easy to follow route north on 188, and 190, and 4-6 hours, you could be on your way to your getaway. Soon the road will grow narrow, and you'll realize that you are losing civilization. The road will turn to gravel or dirt, and up ahead you'll see a few cars and trucks parked in a makeshift lot. It's time to gear up and start on foot.

Different areas of the Adirondacks will offer paths with

varying levels of difficulty. Whether you're looking for a day-hike to Goose Pond, or a week long journey to the top of Mount Nipplet, make sure you have the adequate supplies. This time of year, waterproof boots and a sturdy walking stick are must-haves. And don't forget a detailed map of the region. Another great item to have is Cascade Design, Inc.'s Platypus; a collapsible water bottle with a hose that you can attach to your pack's shoulder strap for easy sipping.

There are some hazards to watch out for while getting away from life up there. Some areas are infested with mosquitoes and deer flies, which would love to get a taste of your blood. Make sure to pack enough bug repellent, or smoke works as a deterrent too. Another,

more serious, precaution to take is to watch out for Black Bears. Be sure to always hang your food from a rope between two trees. If you can reach it, so can a bear, so hang it as high as possible.

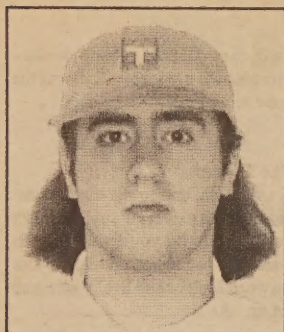
But the most important thing to do while in the Adirondacks is to enjoy yourself. If you're up there to relax, kick back by a lake, or go for a little swim. If you're there to conquer a mountain, don't let the rocky incline intimidate you. It'll be worth it when you reach the top and gaze at the beautiful mountain range.

The Adirondacks are an awesome sight to behold, no matter the time of the year. Your gateway to get away is just around the corner.



By Luke Fuller

## Big Sandy and His Fly-Rite Boys



By J. L. Fitch

What goes around comes around, this is especially true in music. Swing, a style that seemed to die out in the 60's and 70's, is back in full gear.

Swing music, or big band, has been a staple in the American music scene since the late 1920's. With its full sound and grooving rhythm it had everyone dancing on the ball room floor. Now, once again, Americans are doing the jitterbug to a whole new set of bands.

Out of these bands comes a group called Big Sandy and his Fly Rite Boys, a band that took even me by surprise. With a full body of music and a down right jiving sound it's hard to ignore this band. This is one of the reasons that in a recent article in the Press and Sun Bulletin that gave Big Sandy and his Fly Rite Boys

a thumbs up.

On Saturday, August 22, 1998, Matthew Short and I took a trip to see the band perform up in Earlsville. We started the trip at around 10:00 a.m. that morning and got to Earlsville at 12:00 noon. We found that we had arrived a little under 8 hours too early and decided to cruise up to Syracuse for a couple hours. After hanging around for a couple hours and doing nothing, I really mean nothing at all, we headed back to Earlsville.

We entered the building at 7:30 p.m., purchased our tickets and headed inside. I decided to sit in Balcony and Matt decided to sit in the floor seats. The show began promptly 8:00 p.m. and what followed was an amazing display of music.

Big Sandy and his Fly Rite Boys started by playing a song off their latest album, "Dedicated to You." After hearing the first song no words need be said, these guys were flat out good. After about the third song Big Sandy began to start getting a little bit more playful with the crowd, telling them short stories and taking off his tie to alleviate some of the heat.

Big Sandy left the stage for two songs shortly after taking off his tie, leaving his band, The Fly Rite Boys, to play 2 songs of their own album. The two songs were outstanding and complimented their normal style with a more jazzy, instrumental feel. After the two songs, Big Sandy

rejoined the group on the stage. They performed a couple more songs and took off into a small intermission.

During the break Matt and I discussed how great the band was and how well they combined swing, honky tonk, and 50's Bee Bop. We agreed for the most part on everything. Then Matt went and purchased four of the five albums Big Sandy and the Fly Rite Boys had available. Then right before intermission ended we met the man himself, Big Sandy. We got to shake his hand and commented on how well they were doing.

The break ended and this time both Matt and I found ourselves on the balcony, and the second half was even better the first, with a ton of surprises along the way. The first surprise came after the second song, when Big Sandy called up a friend to play with his band. He played two songs in a similar but not quite the same style as what had been played most of the night.

Another surprise came when Big Sandy decided that he shouldn't use the Microphone. Instead he stepped to the edge of the stage and sang out loud. It was quite amazing. Big Sandy had sounded as clear as he had in front of the microphone, without it.

The night came to close with a round of loud applause and a new found appreciation for one the best-unknown swing bands around. The night though was not quite over

though. Big Sandy once again chatted with Matt and I, even giving us some information that most musicians would find taboo to give to anyone.

Indeed Big Sandy and his Fly Rite Boys were one the most amazing acts I have seen in a long time and I hope that people soon will discover, the best unknown swing band in America.

### MUSIC REVIEW By LUKE FULLER

Brer Brian's newest entry into the music market is **Bagiddy Ba**, a part new wave, part folk compact disc. It succeeds with powerful techno sounds and jiving guitar music. Songs like, *I Can Smell Your Brains* and *Love is for the Fruit Bat!* keep me popping in the cd on a regular basis. The cd is available at Music City on Main St., and McNeil's on Old Vestal Rd. for \$12.99 for the time being, and will be more widely available soon.



## Have You Had your V8 Today?

By Luke Fuller

Your mission, should you choose to accept it; protect the Galaxy Casino in downtown Las Vegas from a group of three terrorists hell-bent on setting this building aflame. You'll be outfitted with a '70 Ford Bronco, and enough artillery to level a small town.

Sound intriguing? Activision's "Vigilante 8" {V8} for the Sony Playstation lets you do this and much more. It's a vehicular combat game with a 70's twist that will draw you into it's incredible gameplay. You choose one of thirteen vehicles, from a '75 Palamino to a '76 Gremlin. The characters behind the wheels, some disco kings, another a van driving hippie, all mutter their appropriate lingo. "Yee haw,

here I come hic!"

The graphics are the most beautiful yet for the Playstation, with explosions that would make the unbomber shudder. The arenas you drive in are unbelievably detailed and interactive, and *everything* can be destroyed. If you don't like that gas station on the corner, set the pumps on fire until the whole corner detonates, or if that train in the dessert annoys you, take out the bridge and

watch it scream to the bottom of the canyon. Special button combinations allow you to use super firepower, which adds to the variety of weapons and replay factor. The control is tight most of the time, but can sometimes be confusing in close quarters.

All in all, this is a game that is a must have for people who enjoy cars and blowing stuff up. It retails for \$49.99, and can be found at most electronic and toy stores.

## Swing Hockey

By John Crounse

One of the few things today's sports world lacks is Swing Hockey etiquette. For the lay person, Swing Hockey is a game where two people (quite possibly drunk) move miniature hockey players with little, metal rods making them spin, shoot, pass, and occasionally score. In this area, Swing Hockey is taken very seriously, especially when beer is on the line. If you are ever in a situation where people are playing Swing Hockey and you do not know what to do, just remember these few things for a safe and entertaining time:

1. **DO NOT REACH INFRONT OF A PLAYER:** When you are sitting across from your favorite drink, or even the dip for the chips, it is imperative not to reach in front of anyone. Just take the extra

steps to go around and catastrophe will be avoided.

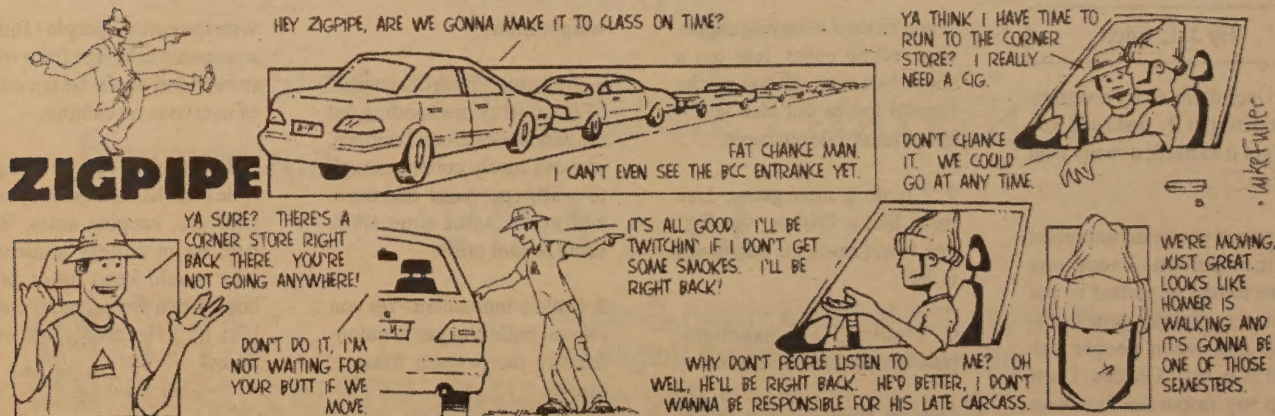
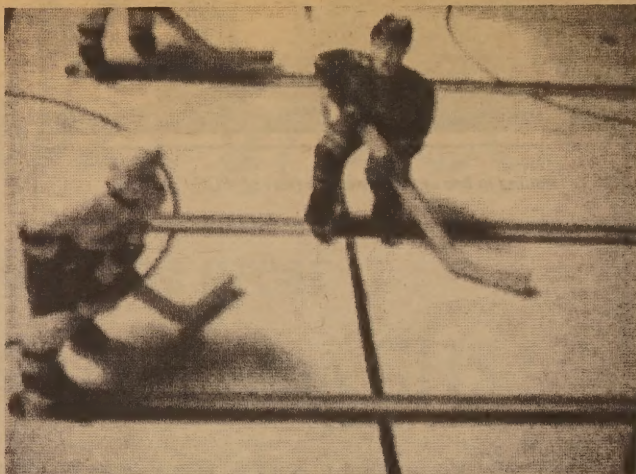
2. **DO NOT MISTAKE THE PUCK FOR A CHOCOLATE CHIP:** If you see a rather small, circular, dark colored disk, chances are that it is the puck and not a random chocolate chip you forgot to eat earlier. If you eat the puck, you will have hell to pay, not-to-mention painful bowel movements (I know this from experience).

3. **NEVER TOUCH ANYONE'S ROD:** Do not attempt to control someone's players without their permission. More then likely you will be beaten severely, receive a barrage of "atomic wedgies" and/or called "weenie" before your very eyes.

4. **NEVER LOSE BODILY FUNCTIONS ON THE GAME:** This is probably the most important rule, and the main reason behind many arguments and fights. This also includes a wide variety of colors and

smells that can create an un-playable environment for everyone. Take the time to go into the corner or to the bathroom if you can make it

These are just a few guidelines to follow to ensure a safe and sanitary game play with minimal injuries.





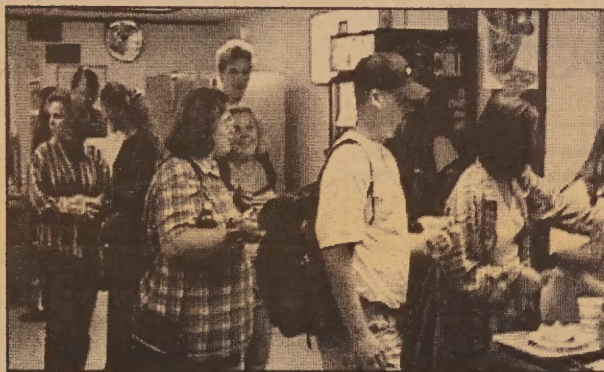
## GETTIN' STARTED



*Common Hour draws quite a bit of attention from Students at BCC*



*Music Video Bingo during Common Hour*



*Waiting in line at the brand new (sort of) BCC Cafeteria*



*Trying to make it to class on time.*

## Top Ten Uses for the Student Handbook

By J. L. Fitch

10. Uses them as fly swatters. If you hit the fly just right you can get it to make a really neat design.

9. Pretend you're an important businessperson. Every one wants to feel important so put black top all over your handbook and when people ask what it is say "Oh this, I just keep my important business meetings in this."

8. Rolling Paper for cigarettes.

If you're tired of buying expensive rolling paper, tear out a sheet. Not only will you get the normal toxins but also you'll get at least a dozen more.

7. Create a new game. Use them like a Frisbee, the first one to not catch the handbook is out.

6. Kindling. The handbook makes a perfect fire starter.

5. Paper Airplanes. Not only is the paper in the handbook stiff, but it makes a perfect light-

weight frame.

4. Wallpaper. With the number of places they are handing out the handbooks around campus, you can surely collect enough to wallpaper your bedroom, and at the same time show some school pride.

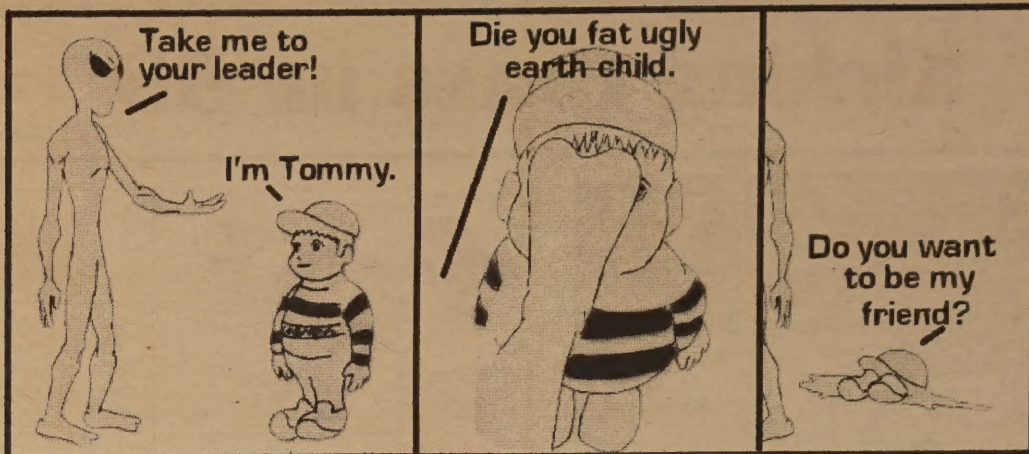
3. Build a monument. Yes you too can build a gigantic monument to the Schools Mascot, Stinger.

2. Suspension Bridge. Tired of having to walk on the ground

with the normal people? Build a suspension bridge from roof to roof and you'll be the envy of everyone on campus.

1. Keep notes. Yes, this handy little book has at least one practical use, keeping notes. But hey, we're college students, why would keep notes in a book when we can take them just as effectively on our limbs?





Starting next month we're going to be running a Letter-To-The-Editor feature section. Not happy with the school Newspaper? Think we're doing a fine job? Do you just want to see your words in print? Write in to us. We're really not that selective, so chances are you'll make it into here! You can drop off your letter to one of us at Science 105, or you can mail it in to us at:

BCC Hornet c/o Matthew F. Short  
Broome Community College  
Box 1017  
Binghamton, New York 13902

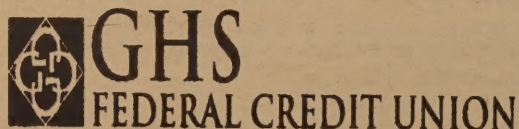
## What's all the buzz at BCC?



It's all about the great  
Student Account from GHS!  
-- the guys across the street!

723-7962  
910 Front Street  
Binghamton

Checking  
Overdraft Protection  
VISA card



Students, faculty & staff of BCC and family members  
are eligible for GHS member benefits.  
Open until 6 p.m. Thursdays



## Kicking Grass in '98



*An active member of the BCC boys soccer team getting his kicks on the field.*

This year's BCC boy's soccer team is lacking experience. With only four returning players from last year's 16-2-2 squad, led by captains Paul Battisti and Rob Wark, they have their work cut out for them. How-

ever, great team play and obvious leadership roles supported by the team's small handful of returning players who are constantly working at teaching the younger players make up for this lack of experience.

Coach Al LaBarbera is ex-



*Pictured (left to right) Team Captains Paul Battisti and Rob Wark*

cited about the up-coming season, which kicks off on Wednesday, September the 2nd against Jefferson Community College at home.

There are only two potential problems that the team may face this year are:

- 1.) The first thing which may affect the teams play is hurricane Bonnie, who is currently building up strength along the coast. It could possibly "strike" at any moment and create un-playable conditions for them.
- 2.) Secondly, the water supply to the soccer team is never cold. Days



**By John Crounse**

and days of drinking warm water could be potentially damaging both physically and mentally.

If this year's team can look past these two obstacles, I predict yet another winning year of soccer at BCC. Good luck guys.

## Sports for the Brain

**By John Crounse**

In the "commons" a sport is played; a sport which involves not your physical attributes, but something far more powerful: brains. Mat Kelly and Sean Melligan make it a point to take time out of their busy schedules for a good game of chess.

Although Mat usually loses to Sean on Wednesday, Mat had a different idea. It was his turn to shine, as he made no secret about it. On-lookers and passer-byers gathered around the small chess table/board to see this miracle take place. Mat began laughing in a nearly demonic way as the words "Check mate!" slipped through his mouth.

*Mat Kelly and Sean Melligan duke it out, so to speak, in the commons outside of the BCC Library*



Mat Kelly re-told a classic tale that day, the tale of "David and Goliath" and everyone was there to see it unfold before their awe-stricken eyes.

In all actuality I must confess, the story did not really happen

that way. The game ended in a draw as both were late for their 12:00 class (but my version is better). The moral of the story still stands though, exercise your brains for Pete's sake, whoever that is.

### INFORMATION:

#### Hockey:

Off ice conditioning for the BCC hockey team will begin September 10th at 4:15 on the tennis courts. If you have any questions, contact Coach Protoer at 778-5375

#### Lacrosse Fall Ball:

There will be an informational meeting held in the cafeteria on September 30th for all those interested in

playing Fall Ball. If you have any questions or comments contact Chris Sargent at 771-0583.

#### Golf:

The golf team will be holding try-outs over laborday break. Please contact Mr. Lockwood for more information.